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CERCLIS EXECUTIVE SUMMARY-STATE LEAD

EPA ID# 982073215

WINDSHIELD SURVEY

Pre-Remedial
☒ YES ☐ NO

Original Company Name: Old Mishawaka Dump

Revised Company Name: Mishawaka Recycling Center

EPA Region 5 Records Ctr.

Alias Names: _____



325799

Original Address 1131 East Fifth Street

Corrected Mishawaka, IN

St. Joseph County 141 County Code 03 Cong. Dist.

Coordinates: 41 39' 10" N Latitude 086 9' 50" W Longitude

South Bend East Quad

☒ Landfill ☐ Generator ☐ Treatment, Storage, Disposal (TSD)
☐ Transporter ☐ Other: _____

PRIORITY ASSESSMENT: ☒ HIGH ☐ MEDIUM ☐ LOW ☐ NO FURTHER ACTION (NONE)

CLASS:

☒ I-STATE LEAD ☐ II-REM/FIT LEAD ☐ III-REM/FIT LEAD ☐ IV OTHER:
State Accompanies Limited On-site
FIT State Involvement

Priority Justification and State Comments Regarding:

☒ PA ☐ SI ☐ Follow-up SI ☐ RPS ☐ HRS

The Old Mishawaka Dump is now used as a municipal waste separation center for a spring cleanup program. The site is used to burn brush in 2 large pits for 2 weeks each spring. 9 to 13 drums were partially or wholly exposed during excavation of a new pit. 2 drums were ruptured by a backhoe bucket, releasing fumes that caused nasal and throat burns in the backhoe operator. A third drum containing a partially solidified material was sampled by state personnel (results pending).

2 municipal wells are located approximately 1,500 feet to the southeast. Low level contamination by VOCs was detected in those wells in 1986. Soils in the area are sandy and the water table is at approx. 10 feet. The drums are currently below the level of the water table. The State will conduct further sampling as soon as possible. A site workplan has been attached.

STATE INVOLVEMENT

☐ Preliminary Assessments ☐ Site Inspection ☐ follow-up Site Inspection
☐ Responsible Party Search ☐ Hazard Ranking System (HRS)

* COMPLETE DOCUMENTS (C) REVIEW DOCUMENTS (R)

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